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Wednesday, Feb. 3, 1915.

## OUSTER ACT AND GOVERNOR RYE.

Last week a democratic caucus, dominated by Shelby, Davidson and Hamilton county legislators, attempted to take the "teeth" out of the Ouster Bill, which is intended to remove officials who refuse or neglect to enforce the prohibition statutes.

The effort, to practically render the law a dead letter, was made when the clause allowing ten citizens to bring action and enforce the removal of officials who do not enforce the present prohibition laws, was sought to be taken out of the law.

Governor Rye gave his approval to the amendment that would have taken the "teeth" out of the bill, but the amendment was voted down and the bill passed. He had not the courage to veto it and signed it, which made it a law to take effect at once.

It was claimed by some that the strong declaration of Governor Rye for the enactment of more stringent prohibition laws was only "thundering in the index" and not sincere. This, his first opportunity to show his real desires, confirms the charge of insincerity.

This will prove a great disappointment to many of the supporters of Governor Rye, and a cause of much regret to many who opposed him.

The most encouraging feature is, that the twenty-six republicans and seven independents stood solidly against destroying the "teeth" of the bill and there were eighteen "regular" democrats who were honest enough to join with them in enacting the bill into a law.

All honor to those who had the courage to stand for a clean and honorable cause.

## WHAT ABOUT A FAIR?

The county fair held last fall was the biggest success of anything of the kind ever attempted in this county. That, too, in the face of the fact that only a few weeks' notice was given that it would be held, which made it impossible for the farmers to make special preparations, as should be done in order to make the fair the greatest possible success.

The time is here NOW, when active steps should be taken to insure the holding of a county fair in Crossville next fall along the same lines of the one last fall.

There is nothing that more surely encourages the farmer to do his best than to know that he must be active and work with a will to carry off prizes, because there will be many in the contest.

The showing made last fall was a distinct surprise to almost every person who attended the fair. That it can be made better this fall is certain, provided the movement is started soon enough. Last year was unusually favorable for some crops. No one can tell what the coming season will be. It would be a very poor advertisement for the fair next fall to fall behind the one last year. For that reason active steps should be taken to launch the fair movement at once to the end that those who wish to compete may have ample time for preparation.

Start the FAIR idea at once and begin formulating plans to the end that farmers may be sure a fair will be held and there will be no lack of exhibits of the kind that will reflect favorably for the county.

## SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Pre-  
vents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months."

I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health.

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years.

At all druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N.C. 128

## OUR FOREIGN TRADE.

Some of the leading papers of the country are complaining of what they call our "Dollar Policy" in dealing with the cause of England in her obstruction of our foreign trade.

They claim England is working in the cause of humanity generally in trying to bring Germany to her knees. They make that claim on the ground that Germany brought on the war.

There are many intelligent people who think the war was forced on Germany, that she is fighting for national existence and for her to win will be best for the world.

But neither of those positions are the vital point of the controversy. The world knows that England takes every trade advantage possible, either in time of war or peace. If we decline to claim and defend our rights in time of war, England would be very quick to present the argument—in discussing this phase of our foreign trade after peace comes—that since we did not contend for these rights when England was at war and less able to defend herself, that our contentions are based on false alarms and not germane to the question.

There is only one right course: Let this nation stand for, and demand the observance of our every proper international trade right, with England and all other nations at all times, whether there be war or peace.

The United States is furnishing the allies untold millions of war supplies while none go to Germany, because the allies control the sea, yet Germany makes no complaint. Germany could very easily pick a flaw and quibble over conditions, but she chooses to be reasonable and fair, while England assumes to dictate, quibble and lord the seas, regardless of our international trade rights.

No one in America wants war with England or any other nation. Standing firmly for our rights does not mean war. On the contrary, it tends rather to peace by showing all nations that we shall defend our trade rights in war and peace alike, but that it will be done in frankness and friendliness.

There are two things that confront the American business man as the result of the European war that should, and doubtless will, receive very careful attention.

The greatest field for the sale of American made goods will be to a very large degree destroyed when this war comes to a close. Europe has always been our best market. When this war ceases it is sure to be much less than formerly for the people will not be able to buy as formerly, because of the tremendous burden of debt that will hang so heavily on all the warring nations and also because of the decrease in population.

We must seek a new field for our goods and in so doing we face either one or both of two conditions. We must capture the markets of South America to a large degree to offset our European loss. To do this we will either have to change the character of our products to suit the South American or we must enter into an expensive campaign of education to teach the people of the southern hemisphere to use our kind of goods. Either course will demand a large amount of money and very active and persistent work.

We have an abiding faith in the abil-

## Cannon That Modernized Japan

By HERBERT KAUFMAN

Author of "Do Something! Be Something!"

**B**USINESS is no longer a man to man contact, in which the seller and the buyer establish a personal bond, any more than battle is a hand-to-hand grapple wherein bone and muscle and sinew decide the outcome. Trade as well as war has changed aspect—both are now fought at long range.

Just as a present-day army of heroes would have no opportunity to display the individual valor of its members, just so a merchant who counts upon his direct acquaintanceship for success, is a relic of the past—a business dodo.

Japan changed her policy of exclusion to foreigners, after a fleet of warships battered down the Satsuma fortifications. The Samurai, who had hitherto considered their blades and bows efficient, discovered that one cannon was mightier than all the swords in creation—If they could not get near enough to use them. Japan profited by the lesson. She did not wait until further ramparts were pounded to pieces but was satisfied with her one experience and proceeded to modernize her methods.

The merchant who doesn't advertise is pretty much in the same position as that in which Japan stood when her eyes were opened to the fact that times had changed. The long range publicity of a competitor will as surely destroy his business as the cannon of the foreigners crumbled the walls of Satsuma. Unless you take the lesson to heart, unless you realize the importance of advertising, not only as a means of extending your business but for defending it as well, you must be prepared to face the consequences of a folly as great as that of a duelist who expects to survive in a contest in which his adversary bears a sword twice the length of his own.

Don't think that it's too late to begin because there are so many stores which have had the advantage of years of cumulative advertising. The town is growing. It will grow even more next year. It needs increased trading facilities just as it's hungry for new neighborhoods.

Newspaper advertising has reduced the value of being locally prominent, and five cent street car fares have cut out the advantage of being "around the corner." A store five miles away, can reach through the columns of the newspaper and draw your next door neighbor to its aisles, while you sit by and see the people on your own block enticed away, without your being able to retaliate or secure new customers to take their place.

It is not a question of your ability to stand the cost of advertising but of being able to survive without it. The thing you have to consider is not only an extension of your business but of holding what you already have.

Advertising is an investment, the cost of which is in the same proportion to its returns as seeds are to the harvest. And it is just as preposterous for you to consider publicity as an expense, as it would be for a farmer to hesitate over purchasing a fertilizer, if he discovered that he could profitably increase his crops by employing it.

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ity of the American business man to meet every emergency in that direction with the same conquering ability and determination that has marked his efforts at home and in other fields. That he will succeed we do not doubt, but that he has a tremendous task before him as well as a large field, is without question.

## FARMERS' OPPORTUNITY.

The opportunity for the farmer to make a rousing success was never better than the outlook for the coming season indicates.

No one pretends to think that the war will come to a close short of a year yet and most persons think it will last much longer.

Accepting that as the situation it means that this country will be called upon to furnish immense quantities of food for the European armies and civilians also. That also means that food prices are likely to remain high in this country.

Manifestly that means the man who has food products to sell is the one who will find a ready market and good prices. Our people should spare no effort to grow everything possible the coming season, for the more we grow at home the less we will have to buy and the more we will have to sell.

Grow what you need to eat and buy as little as possible, and continued prosperity will dwell with the farmers of this section.

Every farmer should husband the manure from his live stock with 'all possible care and buy just as much cottonseed meal as possible for the high prices that are practically sure to prevail for food will justify you in growing the largest possible crops, even a slight advance in cost over former years. But with cottonseed meal cheaper than it has been for years, every indication points to cheaper fertilizer and crops produced for less cost than is usual.

The farmers of this section were never in so good a condition this time of the year as now. This is largely due to the fact that they grew bigger crops last year than ever before and they got better prices for their live stock. But that is not all.

They are in better shape because they did not sell their heters, but kept them and as a result the crop of calves will be larger this spring than ever be-

fore. Calves are always cash and that means that the farmer who is pressed for means is very likely to have more resources with which to meet his needs this spring than ever before.

Our people have acted wisely and they are sure to see big profits as a result.

## THE LIVER REGULATES THE BODY—A SLUGGISH LIVER NEEDS CARE.

Someone has said that people with chronic liver complaint should be shut up away from humanity, for they are pessimists and see through a "glass darkly." Why? Because mental states depend upon physical states. Biliousness, headaches, dizziness and constipation disappear after using Dr. King's New Life Pills. 25c at your druggist.

## ERASMUS.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tucker and children are visiting at S. A. Tucker's this week.

Several of the young folks from here attended the cake and coffee supper at Lantana Friday night.

W. B. Tucker made a business trip to Crossville.

Louis Bolin visited at Joe Blaylock's Sunday.

O. C. Stewart spent Sunday with homefolks.

Mrs. L. M. Bolin visited her son, Willie Hyder, at Clifty.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Glenn expect to leave soon for Florida, where they will make their future home.

John Lewis and son Harry made a business trip to Eastland last week.

Rev. Gibson Lewis visited friends and relatives here last week.  
Feb. 1. Rambling Rose.

If a better cough syrup than Foley's Honey and Tar Compound could be found, we would carry it. We know this reliable and dependable medicine has given satisfaction for more than forty years; therefore we never offer a substitute for the genuine. Recommended for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, bronchial and lagripp, coughs. No opiates. Reed & Burnett.

It seems the moon forecasters claim there will be no full moon in February. This has not happened before since 1866 and it is said will not happen again for 2,500,000 years. We expect to be here to see if February has a full moon or not, but the next time we expect to be absent. The fact that there will be no full moon this month is due to the fact that it was full January 30 and the short month of February will not permit of another.

## HOWARD SPRINGS.

Mud and sleet have been exceptionally abundant this winter. For a month the mail carrier left the pike and went by Cane Ranch—the Bell farm.

Neal Martin has not fully recovered from pneumonia.

Mrs. Annie Ettien, who had pneumonia a month ago, is quite unwell yet.

L. H. Bell has had a sharp touch of pneumonia, combined with something like apoplexy.

Mrs. D. C. Turner and Miss Myrtle Ferris are about well again.

J. H. and F. C. Graham have returned from well drilling near Hebertsburg. J. H. Graham brought a bunch of cattle. It is reported that he traded his well drill to Arthur Watson for them.

John Ettien spent several days at Cookeville, as a witness in the J. S. Watson case. His cousin, who was here with her little daughter, has returned to Berrien Springs, Michigan.

A recent issue of the New York Sun says that the J. V. Thompson Company is about to close a sale of a part of their 200,000 acres of coal land in Greene county, Pennsylvania, to the U. S. Steel Company, for 24 million dollars. That their entire area is valued at 80 million dollars. They own about one-half the coal in that county. The main vein is from 5 to 9 feet thick. A few years ago, Josiah Thompson began buying this coal of the farmers for \$25 an acre. The land also contains much oil and gas. Only a few of the farmers received anywhere near full value for their property. The following citizens of Cumberland county were raised in that county: L. H. Bell, Howard Springs; Taylor Spencer, Creston; and Mrs. A. J. Martin, Crossville. All came here over forty years ago and have not been much benefited by the values there, although several of their relatives have been.  
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## IT REALLY DOES RELIEVE RHEUMATISM.

Everybody who is afflicted with rheumatism in any form should by all means keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment on hand. The minute you feel pain or soreness in a joint or muscle, bathe it with Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub it. Sloan's penetrates almost immediately right to the seat of pain, relieving the hot, tender, swollen feeling and making the part easy and comfortable. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, lumbago, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. Buy a bottle today. 3.

## MERIDIAN.

Mrs. Rose Robinson left for Highland Junction, where she will make her home for a while.

Oscar Smith has recently moved to the Elliott farm.

Miss Mary Martin visited with home folks Saturday and Sunday.

John Pew is building a church house for the Holy Rollers, near Meridian school house.

Mrs. Dandy Smith and son, of Crossville, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin.

Lawson Martin went to Crab Orchard Friday.  
Jan. 29. Vernie.

## SEVENTY SEVEN YEARS OLD.

George W. Clough, Prentiss, Miss., who had suffered greatly with kidney trouble, writes: "Foley Kidney Pills are the only remedy that ever did me any good at all." Just think of the relief and comfort that means to him. Foley Kidney Pills are recommended for sleep disturbing bladder troubles, pain in sides or back, rheumatism, and kidney and bladder ailments. For sale by Reed & Burnett.

## VANEVER.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Webb are the happy parents of a baby boy.

Misses Johanna and Eva Selby spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

A very successful singing school, taught by A. L. Hyder, closed here Saturday.

Brown Worthington and Lincoln Wyatt were here from Grapevine Sunday.

W. M. Selby, who has been very sick, is improving.

James Reece, of Burgess, was visiting at Wm. Selby's Sunday.

Wm. Stone made a business trip to Crossville Friday.

Wm. Wyatt passed through here Saturday on his way home, after teaching a singing school at Lantana.  
Feb. 1. Pete.

Hundreds of health articles appear in newspapers and magazines, and in practically every one of them the importance of keeping the bowels regular is emphasized. A constipated condition invites disease. A dependable physic that acts without inconvenience of griping is found in Foley Cathartic Tablets. For sale by Reed & Burnett.

## BAPTIST CHURCH.

Services first and second Sundays at 11 a. m. and second and fourth Sundays at 7:45 p. m.

Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m. Geo. P. Burnett, superintendent. All are cordially invited.

L. A. Hurst, Pastor.